



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 2815  
PATENT**

Attorney Docket No. **09108.0002**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Atsuko KAWASAKI et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2815
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Application No.: 10/607,216	)	Examiner: José R. Diaz
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Filed: June 27, 2003	)	Confirmation No.: 5695
	)	
For: METHOD OF PRODUCING	)	Mail Stop AF
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed July 3, 2006, the period for response to which extends through October 3, 2006, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper, beginning on page 4.